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From: Young, Nichole [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=DE6D7F1C18F94AEB89C71047E9772E42-YOUNG, NICH]
Sent: 7/19/2022 7:59:38 PM
To: Vela, Austin [Vela.Austin@epa.gov]; Martindale, Cary [martindale.cary@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs
Attachments: Proposed GMG290000 FR Cover Letter.pdf

Austin,

Letter is attached. In addition my supervisor wants to wants a general communication strategy/press release type thing on the proposal and some type of alert to EJ community mailing list. Is this something you all can assist with as well?

Let me know if there are any issues with the letter. I signed it myself.

From: Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2022 6:18 PM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>; Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Thanks Nichole! We gave a heads up to OCIR and I can provide to the staffer if needed once the letter is ready. I appreciate you keeping us in the loop and coordination on this.

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2022 2:23 PM
To: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Austin and Cary, the inquiry that was sent from Cruz was in relation to the permit that we are providing notification for, if that helps.

From: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2022 1:12 PM
To: Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>; Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

I wondered about that as well. I will talk to OCIR.

From: Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2022 1:10 PM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>; Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Hey Cary – can you make sure Denis is aware on this? I'm not sure if this overlaps with an inquiry he handled with Carolyn with Sen. Cruz's staff. Please let me know. Thanks!

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, July 14, 2022 10:58 AM
To: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Good morning,

Just submitted everything for publication in the federal register. I have a letter of notification. As soon as I get the date it will be published I will add that information to the letter and send to you all. Should be within the next week.

Thanks for your help,

Nichole

From: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 2:54 PM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Thank you, Nichole!

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 2:48 PM
To: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Cary & Austin,

Just wanted to follow up on the request below regarding notification to the congressional offices in tx and la in regards to the offshore oil and gas general permit. Just a heads up, we will be going to federal register notice this month. I will update you all once we have a set date.

Thanks,

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From: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:37 AM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Great, thank you.

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:31 AM
To: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Not quite yet. Still working out some management level issues with the permit, but hoping for a March-April timeframe.

From: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:30 AM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>; Vela, Austin <Vela.Austin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Great, do we have a timeframe on sending? I handle Louisiana offices, Austin Vela has Texas. I am including him on this message assuming it's both states for notification. When it's ready, he and I will just need the notification for distribution.

Thanks,
Cary

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:27 AM
To: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

It will be just be a notification to the offices.

From: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:24 AM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Certainly – is this a notification to the offices, or are we requesting anything from them?

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:19 AM
To: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Good morning Cary,

I am working on the renewal for our offshore oil and gas general permit. We will be sending the permit out to the congressional offices along the Gulf when it comes time for public notice. Wanted to check beforehand to see if I could get some assistance in doing so.

Thanks,

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From: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:17 AM
To: Gillespie, David <Gillespie.David@epa.gov>; Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

Thanks, David. Hi Nichole – I can help you.

Cary

From: Gillespie, David <Gillespie.David@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 11:15 AM
To: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Cc: Martindale, Cary <martindale.cary@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Congressional Affairs

We do have a Region 6 congressional liaison office. I would start by contacting Cary Martindale who is an awesome (and really nice) guy.

From: Young, Nichole <young.nichole@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2022 10:47 AM
To: Gillespie, David <Gillespie.David@epa.gov>
Subject: Congressional Affairs

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Do you know if we have a congressional affairs office?

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